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AMENDMENT

SIR:

In response to the Office Action of March 16, 2006, the period for response having been extended herein to July 16, 2006, by payment of the requisite fee of \$120.00 for a Petition for Extension of Time Under 37 C.F.R. § 1.136(a) expiring July 16, 2006, please amend the above-identified application as follows:

In the Specification

Amend the first paragraph of page 1 to read as follows:

This application claims benefits of Japanese Application No. 2002-206860 filed in Japan on ~~7-16, 2002~~ 7/16/2002 and No. 2002-304555 filed in Japan on ~~10-18, 2002~~ 10/18/2002, the contents of which are herein incorporated by this reference.

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